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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)			Docket Number (Optional) 31856-PCT-USA 70050.123				
In re Application of Itescu, S.							
	Application Number 09/509,734		Filed June 14, 2000				
	For Method For Predicting Transplant						
	Group Art Unit 1644	Examine Dav	id A. Saunders				
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.							
The requested extension and appropriate (check time period desired):	e non-small-entity fee are as follows						
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Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))			\$				
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a							
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$_475							
A check in the amount of the fee is							
Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.							
The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.							
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-4377 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.							
I am the applicant/inventor							
assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).							
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attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)							
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